

# March 2015

## Burnham Memorial Library 898 Main Street colchestervt.gov/Library

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ı	10:30 am Preschool Storytime 4-8 pm Tutoring 5:30 pm Young Adult Advisory Board 6:30 pm Write Now! (YA)	10:30 am Toddler Storytime 11:30 am Preschool Music 3:30 pm Reading Buddies Info Session 4:30 Drop-In Yoga	4-8 pm Tutoring 5:30-7:45 pm Tabletop Gaming 6-8 pm Knitters (MH) 6:30 pm DCF Book Discussion: Paperboy 6:45 pm Wed. Eve. Bk. Club: Waiting for Snow	10:30 am Preschool Storytime 4 pm Lego Club	6 Library Opens at 12 pm 6 pm Family Movie Night: Big Hero 6	9:15 am – 1:15 pm Tax Help (by appt.) 9:30 am-3 pm Tutoring 10 am Saturday Drop-In Story Time
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## March 2015 Programs

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Family Movie Night - Friday, Mar. 6 at 6 pm. The entire family can join us for a showing of the Disney animated film Big Hero 6. We'll bring the popcorn! The movie will be shown next door, at the Colchester Meeting House. Please register at our website.

Reading Buddies Info Session - Tuesday, Mar. 3 at 3:30 pm. Are you interested in participating in the Reading Buddies program (now year round!), or do you just want to know more? Attend this session!

#### Children

One-on-One Tutoring - Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays. Students from the Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences (Colchester campus) tutor students in reading, math, and science at the library. The program focuses on grades I-6, but tutoring is available in other grades for some subjects. Sessions take place on Mondays from 4-8 pm, Wednesdays from 4-8 pm, and Saturdays from 9:30 am-3 pm. There is no fee for the service. You can call us at 264-5660 to sign up, or for more information.

Preschool Storytime - Mondays and Thursdays at 10:30 am (except Mar. 16-26). Join us for stories followed by a craft or activity. For ages 3-6. Call to sign-up.

Toddler Storytime - Tuesdays at 10:30 am. A weekly selection of music, rhymes, stories, and a snack! For ages 18 months-3 years. Call to sign-up.

Preschool Music - Tuesdays at 11:30 am. Come to the library for music and fun every Tuesday. Best for ages 3-5. Sponsored by the Friends of Burnham Library.

Lego Club - Thursdays at 4 pm. Builders of all ages join us to create something special with Legos.

Saturday Drop-In Storytime - Saturdays at 10 am. A weekly selection of music and books for children of all ages. No sign-up required.

DCF Book Discussion Group - Wednesday, Mar. 4 at 6:30 pm. Join other kids aged 8-11 and voice your likes and dislikes about Dorothy Canfield Fischer Award books. This month, we discuss Paperboy by Vince Vawter.

Pajama Storytime - Wednesday, Mar. 18 at 6:30 pm. Little ones of all ages cuddle up in pajamas and listen to bedtime stories. We'll serve the cookies and milk! No signup required.

### Young Adults

Young Adult Advisory Board - Monday, Mar. 2 at 5:30 pm. Help make the library a destination for people your age. Young adults in grades 6-12 can join the fabulous people on the Library's Young Adult Advisory Board.

Write Now! - Monday, Mar. 2 at 6:30 pm. Interested in writing? Already a writer and looking for time dedicated to writing? Looking for encouragement to write? If you are in grades 6-12, come to Write Now! We meet the 1st Monday of each month at 6:30 pm at the Burnham Library. Join us, it's the write thing to do.

Teen Tech Week - Monday, Mar. 9 through Saturday, Mar. 14:

Scratch Parade - Monday, Mar. 9 at 4 pm. Using MIT's awesome freeware, learn and utilize the basics of computer coding and create a moving, talking, dancing, or just jiggly creature to include in our digital parade! Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) or use one of our computers! Ages 12 & up. \*

Sparkly Circuits - Tuesday, Mar. 10 at 4 pm. Using conductive thread, tiny LEDs, coin batteries, and other simple electronics, we'll learn about circuits and basic electricity to make cool sparkly accessories! Make a t-shirt glow with a cool light pattern or bring something of your own to light up! Ages 12 & up. \*

Extreme Paper Folding - Wednesday, Mar. 11 at 4 pm. Paper cranes and small paper boxes are easy—we're going to the extremes of cutting, folding, and advanced geometry to create really cool multi-colored 3D sculptures using math and paper. Make an interlocking tetrahedron, a magic ball, or whatever. Ages 10 & up. \*

Give it Some Bounce - Thursday, Mar. 12 at 4 pm. Make bouncy balls out of household materials! Ages 12 & up. \* Tiny Food Party - Friday, Mar.13 at 3 pm. Do you think small things are cute? Do you like to eat food? How would you like to eat tiny food? We're making miniature

versions of everyday food for fun. Join us as we become miniature chefs and then devour all of the creations in this wacky mini dinner party! Ages 13 & up. Patrons

with food allergies should inquire before registering. \* Brush Bot Extravaganza – Saturday, Mar. 14. At part one (11 am), use a toothbrush, a small motor, and a tiny battery, to create a vibrating robot! Brush Bots will wiggle, jiggle, spin, and go crazy on any flat surface. At part two (1:30 pm), we create an epic maze for our Brush Bots to race through! First bot to the finish wins! Ages 10 & up. \*

Teen Tinker Tuesday: Texting Gloves - Tuesday, Mar. 24 at 4:30 pm. By adding awesome thread, create gloves that work on touch screen devices outside without freezing your fingertips. We have simple gloves, or you can bring your own to alter. For ages 12 and up. 3

Intergenerational Dessert Book Discussion - Monday, Mar. 30 at 6:30 pm. For anyone grade 6 to adult who loves a good "read-and-rant!" Eat something sweet and talk about a great book. You'll be back! This month, we'll read Emperor Mollusk versus The Sinister Brain by A. Lee Martinez.

B\*Tween the Classics: Readaloud - Thursday, Mar. 26 from 4:30-6 pm. Remember when you were small and librarians read stories to you? Remember how fun that was? Come listen to some great stories. We'll have snack time too, of course.

#### Adults

Drop-In Gentle Hatha Yoga – Tuesdays at 4:30 pm. Bring a mat and enjoy poses for mindful stretching and relaxation. A registered nurse of over 30 years, Betty Molnar is certified as a Hatha Yoga instructor from the Temple of Kriya Yoga in Chicago. Sponsored by the Friends of Burnham Library.

Burnham Knitters/Needleworkers – Wednesdays from 6-8 pm. Knitters and other needle workers of all skill levels meet Wednesdays (1st and 2nd at Colchester Meeting House, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> at Burnham Library), beginners welcome!

Free Tax Filing Help for Seniors and Lower Income Households - Saturday mornings by appt. (9:15 am - 1:15 pm). AARP's Tax Aide Service volunteers file taxes for seniors (55+) and lower income households (less than \$35,000). Call 264-5660 (and choose option 3 and then 1) to setup an appointment.

Tabletop Gaming Night - Wednesday, Mar. 4 & 18, from 5:30-7:45 pm (at the Colchester Meeting House). Are you interested in Euro-style board games, like Settlers of Catan or Ticket to Ride? Or maybe pen & paper role playing games like Dungeons & Dragons, or collectible card games such as Magic the Gathering? No matter your level of experience and game of choice, you can join us for an evening of games of every shape and size. For participants age 14 to adult.

Wednesday Evening Adult Book Club - Wednesday, Mar. 4, at 6:45 pm. The group meets on the first Wednesday of every month. This month we read Waiting for Snow in Havana: Confessions of a Cuban Boy by Carlos Eire.

Books & Bites - Thursday, Mar. 12 at 6:30 pm (at the Bayside Activity Center, in Bayside Park). Join us for food and a book discussion. Bring an appetizer to share, and ideas to discuss. This month, it's Brewster by Mark Slouka.

Adult Writing Group - Monday, Mar. 16 at 6:30 pm. Interested in writing? Looking for a supportive environment to discuss your work? Join our new group! Audubon Program: Birding in Madagascar - Monday, Mar. 23 at 6:30 pm (at the Colchester Meeting House). Join us for an Audubon program.

Adult Book Discussion Group - Tuesday, Mar. 31 at 1 pm. Join our afternoon book group! We read a wide range of books, and the discussion is led by a Library staff member. This month, we'll be reading The Burgess Boys by Elizabeth Strout. Copies of the book are available for checkout.

<sup>\*</sup> Please Register at our Website